GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3193
ANSWERED ON:11.08.2000
SETTING UP OF DD CENTRES AIR STATIONS IN BIHAR
ARUN KUMAR

Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state:

(a) Whether there is any proposal to set up Doordarshan Centres and Radio Stations in Bihar especially in Jahanabad;

(b) If so, the details thereof and the reasons for delay in this regard; and

(c) The time by which the work is likely to be initiated for this purpose?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING AND MINISTER OF STATE OF TH MINISTRY OF LAW, JUSTICE AND COMPANY AFFAIRS (SHRI ARUN JAITLEY)

(a),(b)&(c): Apart from AIR`s scheme pertaining to replacement of existing 1 KW MWTransmitter for Vividh Bharati Service at Jamshedpur by 6 KW FM Tr., which has beencompleted and being commissioned shortly, the following Doordarshan projects in Bihar are under various stages of implementation:

HPTs:

1. Jamshedpur

2. Patna (DD2)

3. Ranchi (DD2)

4. Mazaffarpur (DD2)

LPTs:

5. Chatra
6. Ramnagar

7 Kishanganj

8. Jamshedpur (DD2)

9. Dhanbad (DD2)

VLPT:
10. Ramgarh Hill

At present, there is no proposal to set up Radio Station or Doordarshan Transmitter atJahanabad, since it is receiving adequate AIR and Doordarshan coverage from Radio Stations at Patna and Ranchi and High Power TV Transmitter at Patna respectively.